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WASHINGTON, D. C., FRIDAY, AUGUST 22, 1873.

EVENING STAR. Washington News and Gossip.

INTERNAL REVENUE .- The receipts from this ource to-day were \$535,995.75. FIRST ASSISTANT SECRETARY of the Treas-

ury Sawyer did not arrive this morning, as was expected. He will probably be at his post o-morrow. THE INDIAN CHIEFS Santanta and Big Tree

arrived at Houston yesterday, under guard from the penitentiary, en route for Fort Sill, where a council is to be held between Secretary Delano and Governor Davis and the Kiowa and Comanche tribes. PRESIDENT GRANT and party arrived in

Saratoga Wednesday evening and a reception was held there at noon yesterday, when about five thousand people were presented to the President. He has enjoyed his trip exceedingly, and is in excellent health and spirits.

NAVAL ORDERS were issued to-day as follows: Ordered-Lieut, John T. Sullivan to the Frolic Lient. E. Lengnecker to duty at the Torpede Station, Newport. R. I.; Surgeon J. B. Ackley to the naval hospital at the navy yard, Pensacola, Fla.; Gunner W. C. Seymour and Carpenter Charles F. Humphreys to the receiving ship Potomac, at Philadelphia; First Assistant Engineer J. B. Carpenter to the navy yard at New York.

THAT \$10,000,000 GOLD DEPICIT STORY AGAIN .- The New York Sun rehashes in its AGAIN.—The New York Sum rehashes in its Washington correspondence, the old story concerning the ten million coin deficit in the Treasury. The attention of Secretary Richardson having been called to it he reiterates his statement, heretofore published in The Star, that the report of a deficit is false in every particular. Mr. Conant, chief of the warrant division, is emphatic in his denial of the truthfulness of the reported assertions on this point, and says these who manufactured the charge might just as well have charged any amount suggested to them as the amounts claimed to be short.

THE TRANSIT OF VENUS .- The Navy department has nearly completed its plan of operations for observing the transit of Venus in December, 1874, and for which Congress has appropriated one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Eight parties, of five persons each, will be fitted out and fully equipped with instruments and apparatus for most accurate observation and representation of the transit. Four of these parties will be distributed in the southern hemisphere by governments and apparatus. ern hemisphere by government vessels, while others will be stationed at points in China, Japan and Siberia. Expeditions will probably leave New York next May, and be absent the greater part of the year.

WASHINGTONIANS IN EUROPE .- The follow ing Washingtonians were registered in Paris August 2d :- Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Phelps, Geo. August 2d:—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Phelps, Geo. H. Skidmore, Mrs. E. C. Skidmore, Mrs. S. S. Smith. London—Mrs. H. M. Barnard, Mrs. Bigelow. Chamounix, July 30—Mr. and Mrs. A. Edwards. Brussels, July 29—Mr. and Mrs. Brockenbrough, J. B. Flagg, James W. Miller, Mr. Penner, W. Strong and family, H. T. Munson, Hon. J. M. Thacker. Dresden, July 28—Richard D. Caffs. Prague, July 29—Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Chipman, Mrs. Ray. Geneva, July 30—A. Edwards, Mrs. A. Edwards, David Edes, Miss M. Edes, John T. Hedrick, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Titcomb, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Chipman, Miss L. Rives.

IN THE DUVALL COURT-MARTIAL now pro gressing at Annapolis private Purcell, of the marines, yesterday testified to being present at marines, yesterday testified to being present at the shooting. He did not see but heard the gun when it was fired; to the best of his knowledge and belief, he believed Dr. Duvall fired the gun; he. Purcell, was struck on the thumb and forehead. It is against regulations for an officer to use physical force against privates. The line of defence, as shown by the cross examination, will be that Dr. Duvall did not know the men were marines. It will be endeavored, possibly, to establish the fact that when the firing took place the doctor considered the persons too far out of range to be struck, and merely shot to frighten off intruders.

THE WEATHER CHRONICLE just issued from the office of the chief signal officer of the army for the week ending yesterday says: "During the past week an area of high barometer, with northeasterly winds and much cloudy weather and rain has continued in and north of New England and in the middle Atlantic states. A storm of considerable magnitude has passed eastward from Iowa across the lower lakes and is followed by a second depression now in the northwest. The rainfall for the past week averages about as follows in the districts mentioned: "St. Lawrence valley, 5.29 inches; New England, 1.86; middle Atlantic states, 2.91; south Atlantic states, 1.90; eastern gulf states, 0.53; western gulf states, 0.70; lower lake region, 0.21; upper lake region, 0.2; Ohio valley and Tennessee, 0.46; upper Mississippi valley, 0.6; lower Missouri valley, 0.3; Minnesota, 0.65.

Proposed Colony of Templars.—The folthe office of the chief signal officer of the army

PROPOSED COLONY OF TEMPLARS .- The folowing letter was received this morning by the Chief of the Bureau of Statistics:

Chief of the Bureau of Statistics:

Newcastle of Tyne, August 8, 1873.

Sir: It is proposed to form a Templar Colony in some part of the world where the soil is good and the climate healthy. I am getting information from the following countries—British America, British Guiana, and some other South American lands. To this I am auxious to add the United States. One plan would include the settlement of 200 families, for which we would need some whefe about 30,000 or 40,000 acres all together. I am requested to get from you, direct, all reliable information on the following points: In what states free grants are still obtainable in such quantity as to meet the above demands? The new colony, wherever erected, will have an anti-liquor, or Maine law constitution.

Trusting to be favored at your earliest convenience, I have the honor to be, sir, yours most obediently,

[Signed] WILLIAM ISAAC KAY,

D. S. J. T. of Northumberland.

To the Honorable E. Young, Chief of U. S. Bureau
of Statistics. of Statistics.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.—Judge McKennon, presiding in the United States circuit court, now sitting at Philadelphia, yesterday filed an opinion in the case of the Reading railroad company vs. John B. Kenny, which may be of interest to railroad companies generally and other railroad paying corporations. The defendant was a collector of internal revenue, and attempted to collect a tax upon the dividend declared by the company on the 30th of November, 1870, under the provisions of the act of July 14, 1870. The company resisted and brought suit. Judge McKennon has decided that the act of July 14, 1870, does not apply to dividends declared during that year, thus sustaining the position taken by the company.

BRILLIANT VICTORY FOR THE REPUBLICANS IN SPAIN.—The Spanish Minister of War has received dispatches announcing that a battle has taken place near Berga between the republicans and Carlist insurrectionists, which resulted in a brilliant victory for the former. After a desperate conflict the insurrectionists were utterly defeated, with a loss of nimety killed and three hundred wounded. Among the latter are Generals Seballs and Tristany. The siege of Berga has been raised and the insurgents are in full retreat.

THE CHINESE SHOEMAKERS NOT ON A STRIKE. A telegram from North Adams, Mass., says:—
The rumor that the Chinamen in the employ of Mr. Charles T. Sampson, the shoe manufacturer, had struck for higher wages is wholly unfounded. Mr. Sampson says they are not on a strike, and have not been. The statement that Sabbath school teachers, whom he has admitted to educate them, had incited them to strike, is pronounced to be without truth in any respect.

STREET ENCOUNTER IN OMAHA.—Last Monday, at Omaha, E. Rosewater, editor of the Daily Bee, and James Creighton. member of the board of education, had a street encounter, in which the former drew a pistol on the latter. Cause:—Criticism of the Bee on the action of Creighton as a member of the board of education.

DIED.—The eld gentleman, Mr. Joseph Ford aged 98 years, and the father of 24 children—he who was struck with a club a rew weeks since near his residence east of this city—died las week.—Frederick Union, Aug. 21st.

GREAT PIRES are raging in the woods of losco county, Mich., near the village of East Forras and Torras City. The latter place is in Gov. WALKER, of Virginia, has been invited to deliver the next regular address before the Virginia state agricultural society at the fair in October next.

BURNING OF THE WAWASET.

Official Investigation of the Disaster,

TESTIMONY BEFORE THE TREASURY BOARD TO-DAY. The official investigation into the causes lead-

ing to the Wawaset disaster was resumed this morning at the Treasury department. LORENZO BROWN, COLORED PIREMAN, RE-

Q. Do you know the nature of an oath What does it mean? A. It means kissing the ble.
Q. how many berths were there in the fireman's room? A. Two.
Q. Who occupied them? A. Me and another

man.
Q. Did you sleep in the room? A. Not in the summer, it was too warm.
Q. Was there a lock to the room? A. Yes.
Q. Who carried the key? A. There was no key: it was never locked. key; it was never locked.
Q. Any body could go in? A. Yes, sir.
Q. Do you smoke? A. No, sir; the other fire-

man does.

Q. Did you ever see him smoke in that room A. No, sir; he was not allowed to smoke there.
Q. Did you keep matches in that room? A
No, sir; the matches were kept in the engine

Q. Were you in that room any time between 6 o'clock and the disaster? A. No, sir.
Q. Was any one else in there? A. I did not see any one.
Q. Are you certain no matches or lamp was in that room? A. Yes, sir.

in that room? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Didn't you carry in any waste from the machinery? A. No, sir.

Q. How long were you on watch that morning? A. Six hours.

Q. Did you stay in the fire-room all the time? A. Not all the time; I generally filled up my fires and then went on deck about twenty minutes.

Q. Were you off watch when the fire broke out? A. No, sir, would not be off for a half hour.

Q. Where were you when the fire was discovered? A. On the hurricane deck, oiling ma chinery.
Q. Did the engineer usually use the fireman on watch to oil the machinery? A. The other

man was up.

Q. Was there anything in the fireman's room that would take fire without a match being put to it? A. Nothing but the bed.

Q. That would not take fire unless a flame was put to it? A. No, sir. put to it? A. No, sir.
Q. Did you ever go in that room after dark?
A. Yes, sir.
Q. When you went in that room after dark,
did you take a lamp with you? A. No, sir.
JOHN FORMAN (COLORED), FIREMAN, RBCALLED.

Q. Do you know the nature of an oath? A.

Q. How did you come to go down stairs before your watch? A. I had been down about fifteen minutes talking to the deck hands on the forecastle; I knew I would go on watch in less than a half hour, and I went into the fireman's room to get my overhauls, and discovered the fire.

Q. What did you see? A. I saw the smoke and fire opposite the back connection; back smoke-box we call it. smoke-box we call it.

Q. What was burning? A. Well, I couldn't say! I didn't stay long enough to see; I went on deck and reported it.

Q. Did you see the other fireman? A. Yes, in

the engine room,
Q. Do you smoke? A. Yes.
Q. When? A. Well, when I am off watch; I never smoke on watch. Q. Do you ever use a lamp in that room? A Q. When you opened that room what did you think was burning? A. The side of the room opposite the bed and clothing; it was the board partition.

Q. Have you any idea how that got on fire Q. Did you ever feel that partition to ascertain how warm it was? A. Well, it would sometimes get rather warm.

WM. O. SAVILLE RECALLED.

I believe one day I was about the Alexandria boats, Captain Gedney came to me and said 'Has the Wawaset been reduced in her certificate?" I said, "I believe not;" I am inspector of boilers, and did not think he had reference to passengers.
Q. You told Capt. Gedney the certificate had not been cut down? A. I told him it had not according to my knowledge.

JAMES D. LOWRY. inspector of boilers, was recalled, and testified as to the true copy of the certificate of inspection in the hands of the board of examiners. TESTIMONY OF LOUIS P. CLEMENTS.

Am inspector of customs in Georgetown; was oot a passenger on board the Wawaset; know nothing of the burning; was on the ferry wharf one day and Captain Gedney called me in and seemed to be troubled because the Wawaset had been reduced; I said to him it must be a mistake, he had better see the inspectors and have it fixed; he asked me to send them down if I saw them; I said I would; about a week after I was passing Captain Gedney, and I said, "Did the inspectors fix that all right?" He said "yes;" I don't know whether he understood my question or not.

Q. Do you know of your own knowledge how the record stands in the Georgetown custom house? A. Fifty.

Q. How did the record stand last year? A. The record last year stands for one hundred and

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The record last year stands for one hundred and fifty passengers.

Q. Were you aware that the captain of a steamboat ought to have alicense? A. Well to tell the truth, before this disaster I really did not. I thought his being endorsed as a master was sufficient; I have read the law since and found out my mistake.

TESTIMONY OF JOSEPH R. SPRANSY. Am captain of a tug-boat. I heard Mr Clements say last Sunday afternoon that he knew that the papers were aboard the boat for 150 passengers, and that they were recorded in Georgetown for 50. LEWIS F. CLEMENTS RECALLED.

I did not see the new inspection of the Wawa-set since it has been put up. The remark I made to Captain Spransy was, that it was my impres sion that the boat could carry 150 passengers, based upon the fact of the conversation I have related of a previous interview had with Capt.

On the morning after the disaster I went into the Potomac Company's office, and found Mr Clements and Mr. Saville there; they were talkclements and Mr. Saville there; they were talking about passengers on board steamboats. In
the course of the conversation Mr. Clements
said the Wawaset was limited to carry 150 passengers. I left the office with the impression
that both Mr. Saville and Mr. Clements understood that the boat was allowed to cary 150 passengers. Mr. Saville did not say so, but Mr.
Clements did in his presence.

TESTIMONY OF ASA P. SNYDER. Am book-keeper; reside in South Washing ton; had been in the habit of going to the ton; had been in the habit of going to the Wawaset every Sunday evening on business with the bar-keeper; I went one Sunday and couldn't find him, and while on the boat read a certificate allowing her to carry one hundred and fifty passengers; I think I read the certificate since the 24th of March last; I don't think it has been over two months since; I am positive; it struck me forcibly that the boat only being authorized to carry 150 passengers, often carried on excursions five hundred and upwards; I did not know at the time the company had any permit to carry five hundred; I cannot tell how the certificate was dated; don't know whether it was an old certificate of 1872 or a new one of 1873.

TESTIMONY OF GEORGE A. SHECKELS.

I saw Mr. Saville on the Saturday morning after the burning of the boat; I said to him "Mr. Saville, is it true the Wawaset is only a

I was sitting in the Potomac Ferry company's office on the day after the disaster; Mr. Saville was then talking about the trouble he had keeping passengers off the Baltimore boats; Mr. Sheckels came in and said: "Mr. Saville there is a rumor outside that the Wawaset is only allowed to carry fifty passengers; how it?" Mr. Saville answered, "No, sir, that is a mistake; she is allowed to carry one hundred and fifty passengers;" he also gaid that Captain (iedney had called his attention to the mistake.

I am President of the Potomac Ferry com pany I wish to state that Captain Gedney is eft with all matters pertaining to our boats; he called my attention to the discrepancy be-tween the certificates of inspection, and I told him to see Mr. Saville and Mr. Lowry and have it rectified at once.

CAPTAIN GEDWEY RECALLED. At the time the inspection was made did you give any direction to the Inspectors as to th number of passengers you wished to carry? A.

Q. Did you direct any one else? A. No sir. Q. Where was the captain at the time? A. He was sick with the small pox; the boat was inspected on the 24th, he died on the 27th of March. Q. Who could it have been that told the in-spector to put in fifty? A. I don't know; Mr. Boswell, the pilot, was acting captain at the Q. What day did you put up the new certifi-cate on the boat? A. About four or five days after the irspection was made; the boat made one trip without any papers; I am positive they were put up within a week after the 24th of March.

TESTIMONY OF EPHRAIM NASH. Am a farmer; reside in Northumberland county, Virginia; was a passenger on board the Wawaset; was in the forward part of the boat when the alarm was sounded; I went aft after seeing the smoke; had been there but an instant when somebody came back and said keep quiet, the boat will be beached in a moment; I then climbed up on the deck by the metalic life boat; something was said about lowering the boat; something was said about lowering the boat; something was said about lowering the boat; when a deck hand said let it alone; I looked to see if any means were at hand to lower it, and did not; it was shoved overboard and a colored man jumped with it; I then climbed up to the hurricane deck, and found the fire coming up to the waiking beam; I then jumped into the bow of the boat and took an empty peach box and jumped overboard a little before the boat stopped and swam ashore; I think on the port side of the hurricane deck passengers could have passed from the aft forward up till the time the boat struck; saw none of the officers was good, but saw none of them but Mr. Wheeler attempt to get aft to save the lady passengers; I have no doubt the intention of the officers was good, but saw none of them but Mr. Wheeler attempt to rescue any passengers.

Q. Did you see the engineer in the barroom?

A. I have an impression I did; I am not quite positive of the fact; I could not swear to it; it is a distinct impression on my mind.

Q. Did you see him take liquor at all? A. No, sir. Wawaset; was in the forward part of the boat

sir.

Q. Do you think after the fire occurred there was a possibility to extinguish it? A. No, sir; I do not; I think if the doors between the saloon had been closed, so as to have stopped the draft, it would have prolonged the fire until after the boat beached, and it would have mitigated the disaster; if the boat had been stopped, the small boats might have been lowered and life preservers distributed.

Q. Do you think if there had been a fire decided.

Q. Do you think if there had been a fire de-partment aboard that boat they could have done any good with the pumps? A. I hardly consider myself competent to judge; I saw no negligence, before or after the lire, on the part of the officers of the boat. George Parker, colored, a passenger, was examined, but his evidence failed to elicit any ad-

CAPTAIN GEDNEY, RECALLED. The life-boat was on the hurricane deck, aft of the wheelhouse, with a bow and a stern line attached to let it down; have never exercised the men in lowering the boats; a boat was lowered at several landings each trip, and there was no difficulty in getting her up and down.

Tiffany Rich, colored, a passenger, was examined, and testified that his wife and child were burned up on the boat. No new points were developed by the witness.

At 1:30 o'clock the investigation adjourned sine die. Mr. Rose gave notice that the report of the commission would appear at an early day.

TELEGRAMS TO THE STAR

This Afternoon's Dispatches. NARROW I SCAPE OF WASHINGTONIANS The Engine Drawing Lafayette Chap-ter Breaks Coming Down Mount Washington—Nobody Hurt,

[Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.] BYAN HOUSE, N. H., August 22 .- The locomotive engine broke coming down Mount Washington with Lafayette Chapter of Wash ington city on board. None killed or injured from Washington, and all arrived on foot here late last night. J. E. M.

New York Notes.

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THE WEATHER.

New York, August 22.—The weather, although cloudy, has the appearance of changing. The wind is southeast. Rain fell all night.

A SECOND COMPANY OF MERNONITES from Crimea came by the Halsatia yesterday. It includes eight families and fifty persons. Like their predecessors, they are well to do, bringing about \$100,000 in gold. They start for Elkhart, Indiana.

A BENEVOLENT SCHEME ABANDONED.

The building on 4th avenue, owned by A. T. Stewart, crected for single and widowed women, where they could live cheaply, will be devoted to other purposes, it being deemed impossible to establish a house such as Mr. Stewart proposed.

CHEAP TRANSPORTATION.

Benjamin B. Sherman, chairman of the merchants' committee arranging for a mass meeting to advocate cheap transportation between the east and weet, has informed his associates that nearly five hundred prominent firms have signed the call, while many branches of the trade have not yet been canvassed. Mr. Sherman says the movement was welcomed by all merchants with whom he had conversed, and he knew of no issue that had ever met with such general approbation. The canvass for signatures to the call for the meeting will be continued until all the business interests have an opportunity to be represented.

ANOTHER TERRITELE MURDER.

This morning Michae' Broderick, while in a state of semi-intoxication, quarreled with his mother-in-law, at No. 11 Carmine street. His daughter fearing he might injure her called on her two brothers, coof whom, James Broderick, aged 19, rushed into the room and endeavored to take his father away from the poor woman, whom he was savagely beating, when he turned on him and with a large knife stabled. CHEAP TRANSPORTATION.

deavored to take his tather away from the poor woman, whom he was savagely beating, when he turned on him and with a large knife stabbed him twice in the heart. He staggered and fell, but got up again and succeeded in gaining the second floor, when he fell dead. Meanwhile his brother, John, aget 22, interfered and the father made a lunge at him and stabbed him once, very nearly in the same place, but without wounding him fatally. At this point the police rushed in an I secured Broderick, who was perfectly mad with rage. The whole family resided on the fourth floor, and were cartmen by occupation, and almost always quarrelling. by occupation, and almost always quarrelling. Broderick had been drinking hard for some days and at the station house professed to know nothing of the bloody deed.

IMPOR'S OF DRY GOODS for the week, \$5,315,378; merchandise, esti-mated, \$4,300,000; total, \$7,915,378; increase over last week, \$1,000,000; dry goods marketed,

GOING TO PAY UP.

It is stated in the Sheriff's office to-day that
Controller Green sent word that he was making preparations teppay the judgment for which
the furniture in the Controller's office and other

the furniture in the Controller's office and other city property has been advertised for sale on Tuesday next.

This morning, while a number of workmen were pulling down a building at the corner of West 11th, near Hudson street, the walls fell in, killing four men instantly and wounding nine others to such an extent that their death is looked for mementarily.

A CIVIL SUIT has been commenced against Carl Vogt by a relative of Chevalier d'Blanco, whom he is alleged to have murdered, for the recovery of \$12,000 worth of property of the murdered man.

Butler's Chances Small by Degrees, etc.

New Yoar, August 22.—The Tribun's Washington special says: "A prominent government official returned to-day after a stay of several weeks in Massachusetts. He reports Butler's prospects of success as extremely faint. Leading republicans state that they regard his defeat at Worcester settled in advance. His own letter on the salary bill and Mr. Hoar's reply injured him beyond recovery.

Anything to Beat Grant.

DURUGUE, IOWA, August 22.—A call is published this morning for a state convention of democrats, liberal republicans, anti-monopolists, and other political elements opposed to the republican party, to be held at Cedar Rapids during the state fair week on the 9th of September.

The President at Long Branel Long I ranch, August 22.—The President and two so accompanied by his daughter and two so General Babcock, arrived here at noon.

TWO CENTS.

BLACK FRIDAY. Two Executions in Maryland. THE TOWSONTOWN MANGING.

LEVIN PALMER'S END. His Crime an Outrage on a Young Girl. How He Met His Fate. [Special Dispatch to The Star.]

TOWSONTON, BALTIMORE COUNTY, MD. August 22, 1873.—This morning, Levin Palmer, mulatto, suffered death on the scaffold in the jail yard at this place for the crime of rape, committed on the person of a white girl named Mary Sengle, about nineteen years old, on the Trappe road, northeast of Baltimore, on the 3d of August, 1870. Owing to the high ground about the jail affording an opportunity for outsiders to view the hanging, and the wishes of the neighbors that the execution should be as private as possible, the sheriff, Mr. Robinson, determined to carry the sentence into effect at as early an hour as the special of the sentence of the sente Mr. Robinson, determined to carry the sentence into effect at as early an hour as possible. To this the prisoner made no objection whatever, but on the other hand desired not to be made an exhibition of, and yesterday he requested that the sheriff would carry out the sentence then and there, at once; but this request was of coarse refused.

The victim of the outrage, at the time stated above, was in company with an old man named Bickel, picking blackberries on German Hill, and Wm. Pritchard and this man Palmer attacked and knocked down the old man, and, seizing the girl, accomplished their hellish purpose. There was much excitement in the community when the crime became known, and active measures were taken to secure the arrest of the parties, and in three days they were arrested and lodged in the jail at this place. On the 6th of January following Palmer succeeded in making his escape, leaving Pritchard to be tried. The latter was convicted and sentenced to death, and on the 29th of September, 1871, he expiated his crime on the gallows.

REARREST OF THE ESCAPED PRISONER. above, was in company with an old man named

REARREST OF THE ESCAPED PRISONER. Palmer, after escaping in January, 1871, traeled considerably, but in December last, while reled considerably, but in December last, while in Easton on his way to see his mother, was apprehended again and brought here. On the 27th of May last, his case having been removed from the county, was tried in the Criminal Court of Baltimore city, Judge Gilmer—Mr. A. Leo. Knott appearing for the state, and R. A. McAllister and A. Rogers for the prisoner. A verdict of guilty was rendered after the witnesses—the victim and Mr. Bickel—had testified positively that he was the guilty party. A DENIAL AND SUBSEQUENT CONFESSION OF

At this time he persistently denied his guilt, and did so until the 24th of July, asserting that at the time of the commission of the crime he at the time of the commission of the crime he was at sea. In July, however, he made a clean breast of his participation in the commission of the outrage, and then turned his attention to religious matters, and placed himself under the instructions of Rev. J. B. Stitt, of the Methodist Episcopal church, and within a few weeks past has stated that he experienced religion and was ready to go to glory; indeed, was anxious for the coming of the day when he should leave this world.

He stated that his mother was not married, and that he believed his father was a white man and that he believed his father was a white man named Murray, and that he received but little education, and was barely able to spell out a few words. He was a light mulatto, 32 years old, 5 feet 6½ inches high, rather stout, weighing 145 or 150 pounds, with an intelligent look. He was born and raised on Tighiman's Island, Talbot county, Maryland, and remained there until 16 years of age, when he went to Baltimore and worked on some of the vessels engaged in trading. In 1863 he went to Washington and enlisted in the 39th colored regiment, in which he served 3½ years, being in the battles at Chancellorsville, Cold Harbor, Fort Harrison and Fert Fisher. He then returned to Baltimore and engaged in shucking oysters until 1867, when he enlisted in the regular army, but the vessel on which he, with others, embarked the vessel on which he, with others, embarked while on the way to Fort Fisher was wrecked, and he saved himself by swimming, and reached Wilmington, N. C. He, however, did not return to the army, but went as a sailor before the mast and followed that life up to the time of his arrest and during the interval in which he was a fugitive from justice.

HIS PRISON LIPE. For the past few days he has devoted almost his entire time to religious exercises, several of the prisoners in the jail who profess religion joining in the exercises with him. Sheriff Roberson a few days ago went to his cell to take his measure for his coffin and shroud, and he refused to allow any measurement to be taken, saying that he was 5 feet 6½ inches high, and there was no use of any more measuring. He also made the request that the shroud should be a white one and the cap also white. On Sunday last his uncle and several friends visited him, and spent several hours in singing and prayer. Yesterday his mother called again to take leave of him and the parting was quite affecting, he assured her that all was well with him that he would soon be at rest. During the morning he dictated to a fellow prisoner the following his entire time to religious exercises, several of

LETTER TO HIS MOTHER, BROTHERS AND SIS-"I new give you the last day of my life, my last obedient with this sad heart, to think tha

last obedient with this sad heart, to think that not one of you, would not come to see me, but thank God it is well with me for the Lord is my shepherd and says I shall die, but Jesus says I shall live again. I was a wandering sheep and I did not love the fold; I did not love my Father's voice; I would not be controlled. Dear brothers and sisters my prayers are that you will be controlled by the good shepherd, that is the Lord Jesus Christ, which dwelleth in me. R member when I was feeding in the dark pastures of sin, I did not love my Father's voice, I at it was Jesus that loved my soul. It was He that made me whole. Now I am no more a wandering sheep. I loved to be controlled; I will soon be at home.

Oh my God! my Life! my Love!

To Thee, to Thee I call.

Oh come to me from heaven above

Oh come 'o me from heaven above And be my God, my all. Oh! good Jesus, Prince of peace, give me poace.

My Jesus dear, my King divine, Is come to me from beaven above. He chose my heart for his abode He there become my daily bread, With his flesh my soul is fed.

The way is long my child, but it shall be Not one step longer than is best for me, And thou shalt know, at last, when thou shalt

E nd Close to the gate, Oh how I did take thy hand And quick and straight led to heaven's gate my

And quick and straight led to heaven's gate my child.

"Dear mother, brothers and sisters, I am this day happy to inform you, and all the world that I have made my peace with the Lord Jesus Christ and in him I put my trust, and no other, fer he tells me I am his child. You all may have all this world, but give me Jesus for Heaven is my home. There I shall see my brother and sister and I hope to meet West, who is to go at the same time and also I hope to meet Hollohan and Nicholson. I hope to meet them at the pearly gates of Heaven and say to me have you come and then we will say Giory to the Lord which taketh away the sin of the world. Dear friends, I am not saying this because I am to go, but for you all to follow on. You know that you all must die and cannot live. After death you must come to me to judgment the total will say farewell farewell to friends and leastions and farewell to the world. My Lord calls and I must go to meet him in the promised and.

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The prisoner yesterday afternoon was visited by Rev. Mr. Stitt, and several other persons vere allowed in his cell, and all engaged in elligious exercises, singing and prayer, in which Palmer heartily joined.

THE BCAPPOLD for Palmer's execution was erected on the south side of the jail; in full view of several residences, and is the same on which Pritchard suffered death. The platform is 8 by 10 feet, about 11 feet from the ground, and the drop, about 4 feet square, was in the center, so arranged that when the bolt was drawn it dropped to the ground, no hinges being used. Over 8 feet above the platform, supported by the stout uprights, was the heavy cross-heam, from which the fatal rope was suspended—a plece of & inch martilla, with a neat slip knot, well greased and working easy.

Palmer retired to bed at a late hour and awoke at half-past 4 o'clock this morning. His uncle visited han about 5 o'clock and prayed

with him. At 6% o'clock he ate a hearty breakfast, and a half hour later Rev. Mr. Stitt arrived and entered his cell, when they engaged in prayer. The uncle left him after prayer, and the parting was very affecting. Communion was next administered, and Palmer seemed much more composed. When the shroud was brought by the sheriff and his assistants, he smiled and remarked: "This is the last." The prisoner was then escorted to the scaffold, Sheriff Robinson on one side and Rev. Mr. Stitt on the other, and was followed by the representatives of the press. The other prisoners were allowed to look out of the windows, and when the condemned man, having with a firm step ascended the platform, said "Good bye friends and relatives, all, I am going to Jesus to heaven," they responded in one voice. "Good bye." A minute or more was apent in silent prayer, and Mr. Stitt left the prisoner. Sheriff Robinson then adjusted the white car, and the deputy, Mr. Owings, the noose, the prisoner saying as the cap was drawn over his face "farewell, I hope to meet you in Heaven," and as the ripe was adjusted, "God be merciful to me a sinner—send to Jesus to receive my spirit." The sheriff and deputy then bid him good bye, and descended to the ground. At 2f minutes past I o'clock the trap was sprung, and the body fell about four feet. The rope did not slip well, and for some moments his struggles were violent. Warden Cline lowered the body after it had hung 20 minutes, and Dr. Piper having pronounced life extinct, it was placed in a carriage and carried to Baltimore.

JAMES WEST HANGED AT BALTIMORE.

fast, and a half hour later Rev. Mr. Stitt arrived

JAMES WEST HANGED AT BALTIMORE. The Crime for which he Suffered Beath

Some Account of the Criminal and his Victim

[Special Dispatch to The Star.

BALT MORE, August 22d, 1873.—This mora-ing James West, colored, suffered the extreme penalt; of the law in the jall yard, in this city, for the murder of his paramour, Annie Gibson, on the 13th of March last. The scaffold used on on the 1sth of March last. The scaffold used on this of casion was the one on which Holohan and N cholson lately suffered death; but Sheriff Kane, in order to have the execution more privately conducted than on that occasion, order d the gallows to be taken down and recreated between the jail building and the penitentiary. This prevented thousands from witnessing the execution this morning who would have otherwise overlooked the scene.

WEST'S CRIME.

West on the night of the 13th of March last attacked the woman, Annie Gibson, with a attacked the woman, Annie Gibson, with a hatchet, inflicting wounds which caused her death in two days. They had been living together as man and wife for several years, and had one child about 2½ years old. The woman's character was bad and she was frequently quarrelisome to West and was not true to him. For several days before the murder she was continually railing at and about him, and he took to had drink, and while drunk on the evening of the murder he borrowed a pistol and knife, vowing that he would kill Annie. These weapons were taken from him, but about he o'clock p. m. cries of murder were heard, and parties looking out saw him running away and heard him say that he had killed her. A hatchet was found in the house with blood marks upon it. West immediately went to the station and gave himself up. The victim, Annie Gibson, alias Stier, was a petty thief, and West was also a bad character, having but a short time previous to the last issue finished a term in the penitentiary. Since his conviction he has made several statements in regard to the murder, but in none of them did he deny inflicting the fatal blow, but claimed that he was maddened by her conduct towards him, and drunk at the time, and also that she had taken up with other men. He was sentenced to deale on the 28th of June, and although for a time he had strong hopes of the intervention of the executive he shortly after commenced the work of preparation for death, and remembering that his father, who died when he was quite young, was a Catholic, he sent for a priest, and for soveral weeks past has expressed himself as being fully prepared to meet his fate.

WHAT THE PRISONER SAID YESTERDAY.

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West yesterday sent for Warden Irvine, and personally thanked him for good treatment while in his custody. The prisoner said that a week or so ago he felt as if he did not want to die, but now that he had realized the consolation of religion he was no longer afraid. He believed that he had made his peace with God, and was satisfied for the law to take its course. In regard to his crime he said he could not now realize how he had ever committed murder. He thought that the witnesses might have been more lenient towards him, but he bore no ill-will toward any one. Father Noonan, rector of St. Francis Xavier's Church, (colored.) and several of the Oblate Sisters of Providence, colored, were assiduous in their attentions to the religious needs of the prisoner yesterday. Father Noonan was with the condemned man until late last evening, and the officers of the jail say that West shows a great deal more nerve than had been expected of him. personally thanked him for good treatment

EFFORTS FOR A COMMUTATION OF SENTENCE. A few days ago a petition, numerously signed, was sent to Governor Whyte, asking that the sentence be commuted to imprisonment for life, to which the following answer was received:
"Cannot interfere; the law must take
course. WM. PINCKNEY WHYTE.
Mr. Irvine, the warden, wrote to the Gover-

on the same subject on the 20th, and received the following reply: "New York Hotel, August 21.—Dear Ir-"New York Hotel, August 21.—Dear Irvine: I have your favor of the 20th. I have no sufficient reason to interfere. No provocation could justify the use of such a weapon against a defenseless woman. Society and its protection demands just such penalties for the terror of evil-doers, and the sooner the lawiess understand that sharp punishment follows crime the better. Yours, WM. PINCKNEY WHYTE."

LETTERS OF THE CONDEMNED MAN. This morning a number of letters were handed to the reporters for publication, having been dictated by West to a friend, he being unable to write; one of them is an address to the public in which he denies some of the statements made as to his character, saying he was not a common thief or drunkard, and that he had worked for a living ever since he was a boy; that he has been under arrest three times for fighting and once for stealing; that he never was in the penitentiary in his life. In another address to the public he says that he is a poor colored man who was never brought up in any religion, and feels thankful to God for having led him in the true faith. He had been cast into prison on the charge of murder, and while he felt sorry for what he had done, at the same time he must confess that he never intended to commit wilful morder, but that the bad treatment which his own child received and excess of drinking led him to it, and he urges all good Catholics to pray for his soul.

His Last Day on Earth. This morning a number of letters were hand-

His Last Day on Earth. Last night West slept well, and arose at five o'clock this morning and took a bath. He asked to see the scaffold, and as fie looked at it reto see the scaffold, and as fie looked at it remarked, "It is not such a bad-looking thing, after all." He was then given his breakfast, and he ate heartily, and at about 7 o'clock his spiritual advisers, Rev. Fathers Noonan, Darrah and Goru, with Mr. Van Noal, came and engaged with him in religious services, administering to him the extreme unction, and they remained with him until the last. At a few minutes to 10 o'clock Sheriff Kane, with his deputies, entered the room, and the black shroud was placed on the prisoner, and immediately they started to the scaffold. West kept his head raised as he walked along, and was engaged in prayer while the priests recited the litany for a happy death, and on the scaffold he knelt and received the last indulgence in the hour of death. The prisoner then arose, and the rope having been adjusted, and the white cap drawn, the priests and sheriff at 10 o'clock left the platform, and while West uttered the words, "God bless me; be merciful to me, a sinner," the trap was sprung, and he fell fully four feet. The knot, owing to dampness, did not 'slip and he died of strangulation, but his struggles were not very violent. He was allowed to hang 22 minutes, when Dr. Houck examined him and pronounced him dead, and he was placed in the coffin, which had been furnished free of cost by J. T. Gray, undertaker. The functal will take place this evening under the piaced in the comm, which had been furnished free of cost by J. T. Gray, undertaker. The funeral will take place this evening under the direction of some of the members of the Church of St. Francis Xavier.

Your correspondent is under obligations to Col. Kane, sheriff, for special favors.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BALTIMORE, August 22.—Two executions, both segroes, occurred in Maryland to-day. A few minutes past 7 a. m., Livin Palmer, aged 35 years, was executed at Townsontowa, Baltimore county, for rape, and at Baltimore City shortly after 10 o'clock, James West, aged 25, was executed for murder. In August, 1870, Palmer with his accomplice, Wm. H. Pritchard, colored, aged 17 years, committed an assault on a young German girl who had gone out to gather blackbernes in Baltimore county, about a mile from the city, and ravished her in the most brutal manner. Both were arrested and committed to jail at Towsontown in January 1871. Palmer made his escape from jail. Pritchard was tried in March 1871, convicted and executed September 29th. Palmer was recaptured December 1872, tried at the May term of the court this year, convicted and sentenced to be hanged on to-day. Palmer prayed last night until 9 o'clock; after which, he took supper, at the conclusion of which we remarked to those present, "Good night to all; a kind good night to all. I wish you all a happy night's rest." He then offered a short prayer, man a hymn, and retired at 10 o'clock. At 12 o'clock he was awakened and told that his uncile had come. He remarked he was glad, and immediately foll asleep, and slept. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] him about ten minutes of five, and the two stand prayed fifteen minutes, Paimer being valued in his prayer. He next swept out his cas he has done regularly since his can be finement, and after finishing stood the door of his cell smoking a cigar,

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by the

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GRAND CARNIVAL, which will begin its triumphal march, headed by a fine brass band, passing over the lawn, which will be gergeously decorated with variegated lights, hugh arches, with national flags entwining one another, and forming beautiful eye views, will be interspersed all over the grounds. Unsurpassed Fireworks, that have been purchased at great cost, will be profusely displayed along the line of the procession; also, Balloon Ascension will be conducted, rising at regular intervals during the night. In order to make this

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